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## 8TH ANNUAL ALUMNI HOMECOMING October 13-15, 1961

combined with  
ANNUAL FALL BIBLE CONFERENCE

through October 21

### SPEAKERS AND MUSICIANS:

Dr. Richard Seume  
Dr. Homer Hammontree  
Rev. Paul Beckwith

### MISSIONARIES:

Kermit x'50 and Gleneale Zopfi  
\* Eugene and Ernestine Rosenau '44  
\* Ian '50 and June Bell '51 Hay  
\* Ralph '54 and Melba '55 Maynard  
\* not definite

## BRYANITES RETURN TO SERVE

Several Bryan graduates and former students are returning to their Alma Mater to take positions on the faculty and staff this fall.

Edward Payne '53 has been engaged to teach Spanish and science with the possibility of setting up courses in pre-engineering. He will be accompanied by his wife, Josephine (Jenkins '49) Payne, and their three children, George, Jobeth, and Artie Joe.

Pearl Wallace x'50 will assist in the education department as head of the Bryan Kindergarten with its practice teaching program for students. She will also be hostess in the College Dining Hall.

Greta Sorrell '60 and returning student, Robert Carigon, plan to come to Bryan as Mr. and Mrs. Carigon after their August wedding. Greta will serve in one of the college offices and Bob will be assisting with athletics.

As announced earlier in NEWSETTE, Richard Cornelius '55 has joined the English faculty and Donna (Black x'57) Cornelius will assist in the music department.

## Grads Earn Degrees

Richard Ruble '57 was awarded the Th.M. degree at Faith Seminary on May 23 and plans to go on to Dallas Seminary to work on his doctor's degree.

At Dallas Seminary, three Bryan graduates from the class of 1957 were in the list of those receiving the Th. M.: Larry Fehl, Kenneth Hanna, and Alan Johnson.

George Vogel '58 graduated on June 4 from Talbot Theological Seminary with a B. D. He is serving as pastor of the United Congregational Church in Los Angeles, Calif.

Edith Crame '55 received the master of social work on June 5 from the West Virginia University.

## Theologian on TV

Dr. Howard C. Kee '40, professor of New Testament at the Theological Seminary of Drew University, was one of two scholars interviewed on a CBS telecast on Sunday, July 16. The subject for discussion on the "Lamp Unto My Feet" program concerned the "Gospel to St. Thomas" manuscript found about 15 years ago. Both scholars agreed that the text of this manuscript contained sayings which are out of harmony with the confirmed teachings of Christ and, therefore, this gospel could not be compared favorably with the existing Gospels of the New Testament.



# MISSIONARIES REPORT

Helen Gow '48 was camp missionary July 3-14 at Cumberland Springs Bible Camp, directed by Paul Levengood x'38. She also spoke at the Child Evangelism Fellowship camp held at the Skyline Bible Conference on Walden's Ridge and at Cedine Bible Camp for Negroes near Spring City and directed by Paul Zimmerman. Since the door is closed to her return to the Congo, she is making plans to go to the Philippines under Berean Mission to work with children.

Harry and Jean (Tempest x'54) Bain are planning for furlough from South Africa in November. At present they are conducting evangelistic meetings and Holiday Bible school sessions.

Lyman '49 and Helen ( Parden '48) Goehring are thanking the Lord for a 1952 Austin which helps them traverse the city of Belem with its cobblestones. They have just passed the half way mark in this term of service.

"Aunt Margo" as Margaret Ann McKinnon x'42 is known to the children of Bethany Home in Talakag, Bukidnon, Philippine Islands, will have the director's responsibility while Miss Louise Lynip is on furlough until November.

Ralph '54 and Melba ( Mays '55) Maynard are expected to begin their furlough this summer from Dutch New Guinea, with plans for a stop-over in Manila.

Sandy Cue '55 anticipates furlough in April 1962 following a conference of the Field Council on which she serves with the Unevangelized Fields Mission. The Brazilian Air Force is building a large airstrip across the river from her station among the Waica Indians.

Roger and Naomi ( Hildebrand '55) Walkwitz will complete their term in the Philippines under Far Eastern Gospel Crusade in December, but may remain until next June to take their furlough with their two sons.

Ian '50 and June (Bell '51) Hay left Nigeria in June with Brenda and Alan and anticipate appointments for meetings after September in the States. They serve with Sudan Interior Mission with headquarters in New York City.

David '53 and Marlys x'54 Huey and two daughters have found it necessary to leave the Philippines and return to the States for medical help and counselling for Marlys, whose problem has been diagnosed as being caused by emotional strain. Pray for them in this time of testing and disappointment.



Fishermen in Peru are bringing in their tortoras to dry. A replica of these one-man boats is included in Bryan's missionary museum through the gift of Ed and Joyce deRosset.

## Missionary Museum Grows

The response of a number of Bryan alumni on the mission field to provide curios for a missionary museum has resulted in the collection of the following items:

Africa--ebony carving, pastel pictures in native design, wooden comb, cutting tool, ivory mask.

Brazil--Bahian doll, Brazil nut cluster.

Colombia---wooden spoon and dish, miniature lunch box.

Japan--wooden dolls.

Peru--"Manchaipuito"--wooden musical instrument, tortora--fishing boat in miniature.

Philippines--wooden carvings, bamboo mailing container, water color painting.

Thailand--coaster set in decorative container.

John '54 and Janice (Brown '53) Miesel sent a report in May from the Republique of Congo where they have been able to continue their teaching and missionary work though with more opposition. Plans are being made to open a Seminary in the fall, but problems of food and transportation are great.

Hugh Coombs '50 and family have remained in Tanganyika since having to leave Congo. They work with Africa Inland Mission in Mwanza and are studying the Swahili language.

Lois Ringler '57 arrived in Republique Centrafricaine last September after spending over a year studying French in Paris, where she received the Diplome de langue, and the Diplome Superieur. In Paris she met Darwin Neddo '54 and his family and Jim '55 and Lois (Frieswyk '56) Gould. Her ministry in Africa includes teaching 74 students, wives of pastoral students.



## CAMPUS VISITORS



Kermit Zopfi '50, director of the German Bible Institute under the Greater Europe Mission, spoke at Bryan chapel just before commencement and spent a week with appointments in the area. He plans to return with his family for Alumni Homecoming and Bible Conference in the fall.

Charles '56 and Charlotte (Davis) '56) Wilmington with their three sons made a visit to Bryan for chapel en route from Colombia to Xenia, Ohio, for their first furlough.

David '57 and Kay (Temple) '55) Henry with their three children made a stopover visit on commencement day. They were en route to Florida and then to Summer Institute of Linguistics in Oklahoma, with plans to return to their language study and missionary work in Alaska under Wycliffe Translators in the fall.

Helen Gow '48 stopped at Bryan during her stay at Cumberland Springs Bible Camp.

Allen '52 and Shirley Jewett visited in July with their four children on their vacation trip to Ohio from their home in Bradenton, Fla., where Allen is assistant at the Calvary Baptist Church.

Herbert '56 and Georgene '55 Friedrich also made a vacation visit at Bryan in July. Herb is currently Youth for Christ director in Racine, Wisconsin.

Jim '57 and Judy (King) '57) Barth accompanied by Donald '55 and Kay (Lipp) '55) Barth visited in July on their way from a Bible conference vacation in west Tennessee.

During their vacation visits at Cumberland Springs, members of the Levengood family also visited on Bryan Hill: Miriam Levengood '47, Grace (Levengood) '42) and Robert Bennett and two sons, and Albert '52 and Joyce (Cooper) '52) Levengood and three daughters.

### FREE ON REQUEST . . . . . BRYAN PLACEMATS

Order a supply of placemats to use in your church, youth dinners, or other functions including your own home. Church bulletins advertising Bryan and other promotional literature are available for the asking!

## ALUMNI TAKE NEW POSITIONS

Jesse Deloe '56 became Associate Pastor of the Grace Brethren Church in Waterloo, Iowa, in May. Before leaving Colorado, Jesse and Gladys (Mighells) '57) traveled with John '54 and Joyce (Johnson) '54) Rathbun to Laramie, Wyoming, where John had a meeting in the church pastored by Dean Koontz. They reported a wonderful day of fellowship there with Dean '53 and Grace (Smith) '53) and their two children.

David Marsteller '57 has accepted a pastorate at Trinity Baptist Church of Cortland, Ohio. Shirley (Pitcher) '57) is living above Raymond '60 and Shirley Holmes in Lansing until she finishes her master's degree, D. V., July 26.

Jim '60 and Miriam (Sintak) '60) Wiggins have moved to Groton, Conn., where Jim recently began his work as director of Christian Education at the Groton Heights Baptist Church.

David Wisthoff '53 has taken the pastorate of the Baptist churches in Richland Center and Ash Ridge in Wisconsin. The family which includes three children lives in Richland Center.

Mary (Graydon) '58) Dow is teaching elementary French in summer school in Cleveland, O. Lester and Mary anticipate service in the New England area this fall.

Allen Keifer '59 is a journeyman printer with the newspaper and publishing company in Portage, Ind. He and his wife, Phyllis (Francis) '59) are parents of two daughters, Martha, 3, and Donna Ann, 7 months.

Edwin Svedberg '57 and family are residing in Culver City, Calif., where Edwin is enrolled in aviation mechanics school.

Miriam Levengood '47 moved on July 1 to Kansas City, Kan., to serve at the new Calvary Bible College which has been formed by a merger of Kansas City Bible College and Midwest Bible College. She continues her service as secretary to President Roger Andrus, who is head of the new institution.

On July 1 Ray Childress '55 became president of the Southland Bible Institute in Pikeville, Ky., after serving on the faculty there for some time.

Morris Morgan '51 with his wife and two daughters moved to Hawaii to begin his work as pastor of the Oahu Conservative Baptist church in Aiea, Oahu.



## New Arrivals

Bethanie Sue, born on February 19, in Grand Rapids, Mich., is the first daughter for Ruth Ann (Kroft x'57) and Theodore Borduin.

Judith Arretta joined Johnny, Jeannie, and Jimmy on March 17 in the Philippines in the family of Lois x'56 and Seymour '55 Ashley.

David Benjamin, Jr., born on April 4 is the first son of Dolly and David Graydon x'60 who are now residing in Cleveland, Ohio

Karla Rae, born on May 27 in St. Louis, Mo., to Albert '52 and Joyce (Cooper '52) Levensgood is the third daughter. The family including Karen and Kathy live in St. Louis where Albert manages an egg distributing business.

Daniel Edmond, the third child for Carl '56 and Grace (Coventry '53) Benedum, was born in Detroit, Mich., on May 28. The Benedums have moved to Clarksburg, W. Va., where Carl is Medical Social worker at the V. A. Hospital.

Lina Jeanne, daughter of Lina x'61 and Jackie Morris x'61, was born on May 30 in Greenville, S. C.

Gayleen Ruth arrived on June 2 at the home of Shirley (Smiley '57) and Fred Klingsmith in Denver, Colo.

Sonja Anna made her appearance in far off New Guinea to parents Verena (Bender '55) and Willem Hekman on June 8.

Charles Lee, Jr., arrived in Tacoma, Wash., on June 9, the first wedding anniversary of his parents, Ann (Wildern '47) and Charles Morgan.

Priscilla Susanne, the first daughter for Rachel (Allem x'61) and George x'62 Scott, was born in Holland, Mich., on June 12. The Scotts are in Longport, N. J., this summer assisting at Winchester House hotel operated by Warren Allem '57 and his wife and family.

Richard Hugh was welcomed by sister Carolyn Ann as well as parents Norma (Konves '51) and Hugh Crawford on June 12 in Ontario, Calif.

Thomas Mark completed a boys' trio in the family of Douglas x'58 and Nancy (Cook x'58) Huff by his arrival on June 18 in Argentia, Newfoundland. His brothers are Stephen, 2, and David, 15 months. Douglas is now a lieutenant (j.g.) with the navy in Newfoundland.

Janine Grace became a member of the family of James A. Meyer x'53 on June 19 in Anaheim, Calif.

Lori Lynn, the first daughter of Fred and Delores (Yockey '56) Plastow, was born on July 5, in Detroit, Mich.

## Weddings

Carolyn Cloer x'60 and Joseph S. Wagner were married on March 31 and are now living in East Point, Ga. Carolyn has been teaching at the Colonial Hills Baptist Church day school.

Linda Williams x'61 was married to George Larry Rogier on June 17 in Charleston, W. Va. George is an engineer for a TV station in the same city. Linda completed her work at Morris Harvey College to receive a B. A. in English on May 28.

Edward Bruce Vogt x'56 and Sue Porter were married in Benton Harbor, Mich., on June 17. Bruce is sponsoring a record-making service under Herald Recordings in Sumter, S. C.

## Positions Open

Requests for qualified Bryan graduates are frequently referred to the Alumni Office. As much as possible suggestions are made of prospective personnel, but recent inquiries are listed here for your consideration. Any suggestion or personal inquiry should be directed to the Alumni Office.

1. Flint, Mich., Bible church wants a director for senior choir and a youth-director--both are considered part-time positions.
2. Independent Baptist Church in Neptune, N.J., desires pastor. Church attendance averages 70, Sunday school is 200. Small parsonage, new church sanctuary in growing community.
3. Non-denominational church in Hendersonville, N.C., wants pastor; prefers someone with musical ability.
4. Part-time position in non-denominational church in Detroit to direct music and first part of services, choir rehearsals and other musical groups as possible.
5. Kindergarten teacher needed in Christian day school in Pensacola, Fla.
6. Elementary teachers for Christian school in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

### NOW AVAILABLE

Long play recording of the 1961 Bryan Concert Choir program is now on sale through the effort of Edward Bruce Vogt x'56. To order record send \$3.98, plus \$ .35 postage, (\$4.33) to:

Herald Recordings  
P.O. Box 388  
Sumter, S. C.